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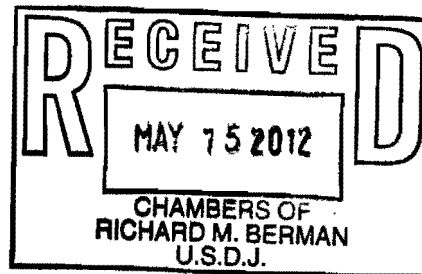
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Hon. Richard M. Berman
United States District Judge
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl St., Rm. 21B
New York, NY 10007-1312



Re: Michael Torres v. NYS DOCCS, et al., Docket No.11 Civ. 5762

Your Honor:

This office represents the defendants in the above-referenced action.

There is a conference scheduled before Your Honor on Wednesday, May 16, 2012 at 9:00 a.m. The conference was previously adjourned due to the settlement conference before Hon. Judge Freeman being adjourned. The parties had a preliminary conference with Judge Freeman on May 1, 2012 to discuss the possibility of settlement. Much progress has been made with respect to one aspect of a settlement concerning reasonable accommodations for plaintiff's disability. However, more time is required to obtain monetary settlement authority from within this office and the Department of Corrections and Community Supervision. Accordingly, a follow-up conference with Judge Freeman was adjourned to June 8, 2012.

Based upon the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that the conference before Your Honor be adjourned to a date after June 8, 2012. Plaintiff's counsel consents to this request. Thank you.

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Respectfully,



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The settlement conference on
5/16/12 is adjourned to
6/11/12 at 9:30 a.m.

SO ORDERED:

Date: 5/15/12



Richard M. Berman, U.S.D.J.